

eral Assembly is ready for the transaction of business, and would be pleased to receive any communication which he may see proper to submit.

A. J. MAXWELL,  
*Principal Clerk.*

On motion of Mr. Davis of Haywood, it is ordered that a message be sent to the Senate informing that honorable body that the House of Representatives has been duly organized, the officers duly elected and ready to proceed with the transaction of business.

Mr. Graham offers the following resolution, which, by unanimous consent, is placed upon its immediate passage and is adopted:

*Resolved*, That a committee of five be appointed by the Speaker on the part of the House to act with the committee appointed by the Senate to wait upon his Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the General Assembly is now organized and ready to receive any communication that his Excellency may be pleased to submit.

The Speaker announces as the committee: Messrs. Graham of Granville, Cunningham, Roberson, Warren and Uzzell.

On motion of Mr. Graham of Lincoln, the rules of the last House are adopted until changed by the present House.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 3, H. B. 1, a bill to be entitled an act to facilitate the business of the General Assembly and to reduce the cost and expense of the engrossment of bills.

Referred to Committee on Rules.

On motion of Mr. Graham of Lincoln, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 11 o'clock A. M.